REMARKS

An additional election under 35 U.S.C. 121 was required although this was claimed not to be a species election. In any case, Applicant elects N-acetylcysteine to be the species examined at this time.

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